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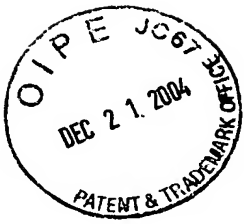
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1. Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
2. Reply To Restriction Requirement;
3. Check in the amount of \$1,020.00 (three-month extension fee)
4. Petition for three-month extension of time (in duplicate)
5. Return, self-addressed & stamped postcard.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith:

- [X] Reply to Restriction Requirement;
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- [X] Petition for 3-month extension of time (in duplicate);
- [X] Check in the amount of \$1,020.00; and
- [X] Postcard to be filed in the above-identified application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [ ] A fee for additional claims is not required.
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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	=	X \$	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	-	=	X \$	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+ \$	= \$ 0.00
				TOTAL <u>\$ 0.00</u>

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- ☐ Please charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the filing fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

- ☒ The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; ☐ \$120.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$450.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☒ \$1,020.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,590.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$2,160.00 extension fee

for response within fifth month pursuant to  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

[X] A check in the amount of ☐ \$120.00; ☐ \$450.00; [X] \$1,020.00; ☐ \$1,590.00; ☐ \$2,160.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.

[X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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